

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	Confirmation No.: 1118
Shusuke AKAZAKI et al.	Art Unit: 3748
Serial No.: 10/800,651	Examiner: T. Nguyen
Filed: March 16, 2004	Docket No.: 107101-00050
For:	EXHAUST GAS PURIFICATION SYSTEM OF INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner For Patents  
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated November 17, 2008, the consideration of the following remarks is respectfully requested.

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